

**B. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the paragraph beginning on line 1 of page 16 of the application as follows:

**Figure 4a** is a diagram of a flat tree view control with additional highlighting to emphasize item attributes. Window **400** shows a flat tree view control with the same items as shown in window **202** in **Figure 2**. Root directory **405** is lightly shaded, parent directories **410** and **430** are the next layer under the root directory layer and are therefore slightly darker than root directory **405**. Each parent directory has a child directory, **415** and **435**, respectively, which are again slightly darker than the parent directories. Each child directory includes two grandchild directories, **420** and **425** corresponding to child directory **415**, and **440** and **445** corresponding to child directory **435**, which are the most darkly shaded items shown in window **400**. In this example, however, emphasis of particular items is shown along with the layer of the item. Color legend **449** shows the emphasis being used in the example. Grandchild directory **425** is colored red which indicates that the directory is important, while child directory **435** is yellow indicating that errors have been identified in the directory. Other emphasis highlights can be used to indicate other features or attributes of given items. In addition, while color is shown as a highlighting tool, many other highlighting tools can be used. For example, the text of the label (i.e., "Grandchild 2") can be emphasized using a color, underline, italics, or bold features. In addition, the icon can be modified to add a symbol or character indicating a condition. For instance, a red exclamation mark may indicate an important item, while a yellow question mark may indicate errors found within the particular item.